Docket No. 285909US0PCT

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Volker DIEHL, et al.

 SERIAL NO:
 10/568,613
 GAU:
 3652

 FILED:
 February 16, 2006
 EXAMINER: Keenan

FOR: METHOD FOR FILLING A VERTICAL TUBE WITH CATALYST PARTICLES

## REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

| C | ĭ | D  | • |
|---|---|----|---|
| J | 1 | 1/ |   |

| It is hereby requested that a two month extension of tin   | ne be granted to December 16, 2008 for  |  |  |
|--|---|--|--|
| filing a response to the Official Action dated:  |   |  |  |
| responding to the requirements in the Notice of Alle   | owability dated:                        |  |  |
| illing the Formal Drawings. The Issue Fee due  | has been timely filed.                  |  |  |
| responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated:   |   |  |  |
| filing a Notice of Appeal. A timely response to the final rejection, due October 16, 2008 has not been filed. A Request for Continued Examination (RCE) is being filed herewith. |   |  |  |
| illing an Appeal Brief. A Notice of Appeal was file  | d on:                                   |  |  |
| Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1   | .27.                                    |  |  |
| The required fee of \$490.00 is being made by credit ca<br>or is attached hereto (if paper filed), and any further ch<br>Record's Deposit Account No. <u>15-0030</u> .           | - • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • |  |  |
|  |   |  |  |

Respectfully Submitted,

OBLON, SPIVAK, McCLELLAND, MAIER & NEUSTADT, P.C. Norman F. Oblon

M. Mille

Marina I. Miller

Registration No. 59,091

Customer Number

22850

Tel. (703) 413-3000 Fax. (703) 413-2220 (OSMMN 10/08)